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Chairman Julius Genachowski  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: WT Docket 11-65

May 26, 2011

Dear Chairman Genachowski:

Americans with disabilities deserve the chance to live independent lives. The Center for Accessible Living, Inc. was founded thirty years ago in Kentucky to help people with disabilities achieve their goal of independent living.

In today's world, a large part of independent living relates to with reliable wireless broadband. Without it, many people would not be able to continue to safely and successfully live on their own. With remote monitoring, people with disabilities can operate individually on a day-to-day basis, while still remaining connected to the healthcare providers that they need. And through the use of cell phones, our clients can feel safe knowing that no matter where they are or what they need help is only a phone call away.

The decision to bring together AT&T and T-Mobile USA's networks makes sense to those we represent. By forging the resources of two national carriers, mobile broadband network will be build-out to millions more Americans, helping give new freedom to those who face the barriers of disabilities.

We hope you'll support this merger and bring a necessary resource to people who have been pushed to the periphery of society. We hope you'll agree that people with disabilities deserve better in this world.

Sincerely,

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